GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
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EDUCATION TO DISABLED AND RESERVATION IN EDUCATION
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the State Governments have sent some proposals for providing integrated education to disabled and reservation in education/vocational training and employment;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; (

(c) whether the Union Government have sought any clarifications from the concerned State Governments/NGOs;

(d) if so, whether the said clarifications have been received by the Government;

(e) If so, the number of proposals cleared by the Government and those awaiting clearance; and

(f) the time by which the pending proposals are likely to be disposed off?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. VALLABHBHAI KATHIRIA)

(a)to(f): Under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Integrated Education for Disabled Children(IEDC), 100%financial assistance is provided to the State Governments/UTs/NGOs for providing necessary facilities to the children with mild to moderate disability with the purpose of integrating them in the general school system. Department of Secondary and Higher Education has released an amount of Rs.3384.41 lakhs under this scheme to various States/UTs/NGOsa s p e r Annex. The recurring grants a r e released t o various States/UTs/NGOs subject to availability of funds, receipt of statement of expenditure, utilization certificates in respect of earlier grants, full utilization of earlier grants, viability of the proposals and proposals being in conformity with the guidelines o f the scheme. No eligible proposal is pending with this Department.